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Season Report for the Week ending with the 21st Saturday in 1912 (25th May 1912).

District and Station		Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains				
		This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1912				Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5						
						This year		Average of past ten years								
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15		
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average	
	City & Taluk	17		70		2	10						Seers	Seers	Seers	
	Hoskote			79		2	69	5	67	—	2	98				
	Dodballapur			36		1	05	5	13	—	4	08	Rice, 2nd sort.	6'25	6'50	7'85
	Nelamangala			69		6	80	6	08	+	0	72				
	Kankanhalli	64	1	01		5	18	6	95	—	1	77	Ragi	13'00	13'00	15'43
	Magadi	20		66		3	26	5	54	—	2	28	Kulthi	14'75	14'75	
	Channarayana	87	1	22		4	14	7	34	—	3	20	Kadale	8'00	8'00	9'14
	Ankal	20		89		5	70	6	69	—	0	99				
	Devanahalli			73		2	28	6	65	—	4	37				
Closepet	65	1	51		4	29	7	69	—	3	40					
District average		27		86		3	83	6	41	—	2	58				
KOLAR.	Kolar			97		1	36	4	60	—	3	24				
	Bowringpet	20	1	18		1	88	4	90	—	3	02	Rice, 2nd sort.	6'00	6'25	7'84
	Chintamani	71		78		2	01	4	50	—	2	49				
	Mulbagal			44			30	4	50	—	4	20				
	Sidlaghatta			57		1	24	4	61	—	3	37	Ragi	12'00	12'00	15'43
	Chikballapur		1	06			68	5	60	—	4	92				
	Bagepalli			55			66	3	20	—	2	54				
	Goribidnur			61		1	90	3	51	—	1	61	Kulthi	14'00	14'00	
	Malur		1	03		2	12	5	52	—	3	40				
	Srinivasapur			97		1	50	4	77	—	3	27				
Gudibanda			60		4	51	3	71	+	0	80	Kadale	9'50	9'50	8'73	
District average		08		80		1	65	4	49	—	2	84				
TUMKUR.	Tumkur			76		2	17	4	75	—	2	58				
	Maddur			89		3	67	3	73	—	0	06				
	Chiknayakanhalli	65	1	07		4	85	5	10	—	0	25				
	Sira			29		1	90	3	32	—	1	42	Rice, 2nd sort.	7'00	7'00	7'86
	Gubbi			79		4	26	4	97	—	0	71				
	Tiptur		1	30		4	09	5	30	—	1	21	Ragi	14'50	14'50	17'40
	Pavagada			83		2	05	2	93	—	0	88	Kulthi	15'00	15'00	
	Kunigal		1	00		1	91	4	88	—	2	97	Kadale	9'50	9'50	8'43
	Koratagere		1	02		2	69	4	36	—	1	67				
	Turuvekere			82		3	55	4	90	—	1	35				
District average		07		88		3	11	4	42	—	1	31				

District and Station		Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains					
		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1912															
		This week	Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		This year	Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (-) of column 4 compared with column 5									
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10			This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average	
MYSORE																	
Mysore		1	03	1	32	5	68	8	83	-	3	15					
Channarayana			35	1	66	4	66	7	71	-	3	05					
Seringapatam				1	58		90	8	00	-	7	10	Rice, 2nd	7'00	7'00	8'82	
Hunsur		1	11	1	57	7	13	7	87	-	0	74	sort.				
Yedatore			42		71	3	54	5	77	-	2	23	Ragi	14'00	14'00	16'28	
Heggaddevankote				1	19	10	22	9	44	+	0	78	Kulthi	14'50	14'50	...	
Gundlupet			20	1	82	2	54	8	75	-	6	21	Kadale	8'00	8'00	9'60	
Nanjangud			74	1	73	5	01	8	62	-	3	61					
T. Narsipur		1	19	1	87	3	28	7	29	-	4	01					
Malvalli			98	1	85	3	31	6	78	-	3	47					
Mandya			13	1	67	1	66	7	34	-	5	68					
Krishnarajpete				1	35	6	09	8	33	-	2	24					
Nagamangala				1	03	2	54	6	50	-	3	96					
District average...			47	1	49	4	35	7	79	-	3	44					
HASSAN																	
Hassan				1	12	3	36	7	05	-	3	69					
Manjarabad (Saklespur)				1	10	3	22	7	23	-	4	01	Rice, 2nd	7'50	7'50	8'54	
Arkalgud			15	1	08	9	78	7	09	+	2	69	sort.				
Belur					99	7	95	7	12	+	0	83	Ragi	16'00	16'00	17'83	
Channarayana			50	1	18	4	23	7	30	-	3	07	Kulthi	14'00	14'00	...	
Arsikere			50		83	3	56	6	08	-	2	52	Kadale	7'00	8'50	8'21	
Hole Narsipur				1	27	4	02	7	98	-	3	96					
Alur		1	40	1	39	8	91	8	06	+	0	85					
District average...			32	1	12	5	63	7	24	-	1	61					
SHIMOGA																	
Shimoga					41	4	66	4	84	-	0	18					
Channagiri					72	1	63	4	11	-	2	48	Rice, 2nd	7'00	7'00	8'91	
Honnali					69	3	95	3	84	+	0	11	sort.				
Shikarpur					56	5	52	4	28	+	1	24	Ragi	16'00	16'00	18'87	
Sorab					36	5	43	3	00	+	2	43	Kulthi	12'00	12'00	...	
Sagar					39	5	04	3	64	+	1	40					
Nagar (Kallurkatte)					52	2	92	3	68	-	0	76					
Tirthahalli					48	4	96	3	78	+	1	18					
Kumsi					30	3	88	4	65	-	0	77					
District average...					49	4	22	3	98	+	0	24					
KADUR																	
Chikmagalur			10		98	6	54	7	78	-	1	24					
Kadur			35		59	3	98	4	45	-	0	47	Rice, 2nd	8'00	8'00	9'07	
Tarikere					51	3	68	4	55	-	0	87	sort.				
Koppa					65	6	37	5	82	+	0	55	Ragi	16'00	16'00	17'78	
Mudgere					87	4	12	7	56	-	3	44	Kulthi	14'00	14'00	...	
Yedahalli					97	3	05	5	67	-	2	62	Kadale	8'00	8'00	8'70	
Sringeri					36	4	21	4	21								
District average...			06		70	4	56	5	72	-	1	16					
CHITALDRUG																	
Chitaldrug					80	4	25	3	59	+	0	66					
Challakere					47		85	2	77	-	1	92	Rice, 2nd	7'00	7'00	8'18	
Hiriyur					88	2	76	5	01	-	2	25	sort.				
Holalkere					67	4	28	3	98	+	0	30	Ragi	17'00	17'00	18'74	
Davangere					85	2	32	3	00	-	0	68	Kulthi	14'00	14'00	...	
Molakalmuru				1	09	1	82	3	42	-	1	60	Cholum	16'00	16'00	17'97	
Jagalur				1	10	1	94	4	34	-	2	40	Kadale	8'00	8'00	8'30	
Hosdurga					44	4	11	4	56	-	0	45					
Harihar					48	4	06	3	23	+	0	83					
District average...					75	2	93	3	77	-	0	84					
Provincial average...			16		89	3	79	5	48	-	1	69					

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa. Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus. Kadale—(Bengal gram) Cicer Arietinum.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana. Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
11. Public health.
12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.		Current.	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Prices of food grains—Rice	7.41	6.90	
Ragi	14.02	13.40	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, not available.			

Agricultural operations.—Raiyats are collecting manure and ploughing their fields.

State of standing crops.—Rain is wanting. Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficiently available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Lands are being manured and ploughed in parts of all the taluks.
- State of standing crops.*—Vaisakhi paddy and sugar cane are reported to be in good condition in all the taluks, except in parts of the Dodballapur, Devanhalli and Hoskote Taluks, where want of rain is generally felt.
10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stocks are sufficiently available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.
11. But for the prevalence of plague in parts of the Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks, public health is generally good.
12. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the taluks. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in the Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Goribidnur and Malur Taluks.
- Crops sown.*—Nil.
- Crops harvested and their probable outturn.*—
- Paddy under wells in the Chintamani, Sidlaghatta and Goribidnur Taluks, yield 8 annas.
- Standing crops.*—Paddy in the Kolar, Sidlaghatta and Goribidnur Taluks and sugar cane in the Bowringpet, Mulbagal and Chikballapur Taluks are reported to be in a fairly good condition.
10. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes. Rainfall is said to be insufficient in all the taluks.
11. Public health is generally good.
12. Except for "Foot and mouth disease" in parts of the Bagepalli Taluk and "Rinderpest" in the Malur Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy.